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#### UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

SECURITIES INVESTOR PROTECTION CORPORATION,

Plaintiff-Applicant,

v.

BERNARD L. MADOFF INVESTMENT SECURITIES LLC,

Defendant.

In re:

BERNARD L. MADOFF,

Debtor.

Hearing Time: 10:00 a.m. (EST) Objection Deadline: January 16, 2019

Hearing Date: January 23, 2019

Adv. Pro. No. 08-01789 (SMB)

SIPA Liquidation

(Substantively Consolidated)

# NOTICE OF MOTION FOR AN ORDER APPROVING TENTH ALLOCATION OF PROPERTY TO THE FUND OF CUSTOMER PROPERTY AND AUTHORIZING TENTH INTERIM DISTRIBUTION TO CUSTOMERS

**PLEASE TAKE NOTICE** that Irving H. Picard, as trustee ("Trustee") for the liquidation of the business of Bernard L. Madoff Investment Securities LLC ("BLMIS") under the Securities Investor Protection Act, 15 U.S.C. §§ 78aaa *et seq.* ("SIPA"), and the substantively

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consolidated estate of Bernard L. Madoff ("Madoff") (collectively, "Debtor"), will move (the "Motion") before the Honorable Stuart M. Bernstein, United States Bankruptcy Judge, at the United States Bankruptcy Court, the Alexander Hamilton Customs House, One Bowling Green, New York, New York 10004, on <u>January 23, 2019 at 10:00 a.m.</u>, or as soon thereafter as counsel may be heard, seeking entry of an order (1) approving the tenth allocation of property ("Tenth Allocation") to the fund of customer property ("Customer Fund"); and (2) authorizing a tenth pro rata interim distribution ("Tenth Interim Distribution") to customers whose claims for customer protection under SIPA have been allowed for amounts exceeding the SIPC statutory advance limits and not already satisfied by the interim pro rata interim distributions to date. A proposed order is attached hereto as Exhibit A.

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that written objections to the Motion must be filed with the Clerk of the United States Bankruptcy Court, One Bowling Green, New York, New York 10004 by no later than 4:00 p.m. on January 16, 2019 (with a courtesy copy delivered to the Chambers of the Honorable Stuart M. Bernstein) and must be served upon (a) Baker & Hostetler LLP, counsel for the Trustee, 45 Rockefeller Plaza, New York, New York 10111, Attn: David J. Sheehan, Esq., and (b) the Securities Investor Protection Corporation, 1667 K St. N.W., Suite 1000, Washington, DC 20006, Attn: Kevin H. Bell, Esq. Any objections must specifically state the interest that the objecting party has in these proceedings and the specific basis of any objection to the Motion.

Dated: December 11, 2018 New York, New York Respectfully submitted,

/s/ David J. Sheehan

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# **EXHIBIT A**

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### ORDER APPROVING TENTH ALLOCATION OF PROPERTY TO THE FUND OF CUSTOMER PROPERTY AND AUTHORIZING TENTH INTERIM DISTRIBUTION TO CUSTOMERS

Upon consideration of the motion (the "Motion")<sup>1</sup>, dated December 11, 2018, filed by Irving H. Picard, as trustee ("Trustee") for the liquidation of the business of Bernard L. Madoff Investment Securities LLC ("BLMIS") under the Securities Investor Protection Act, 15 U.S.C. § 78aaa *et seq.* ("SIPA"), and the substantively consolidated estate of Bernard L. Madoff ("Madoff") (collectively, "Debtor"), for an Order Approving the Trustee's Tenth Allocation of Property to the Fund of Customer Property and Authorizing Tenth Interim Distribution to Customers (ECF No. \_\_\_), and the Affidavit of Vineet Sehgal, executed December 11, 2018 (ECF No. \_\_\_), and it appearing that due and proper notice of the Motion and the relief requested therein have been given, and no other or further notice needing to be given; and a hearing having been held on the Motion on January 23, 2019; and the Court having reviewed the Motion,

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> All capitalized terms not defined herein shall have the meaning ascribed in the Motion.

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responsive pleadings, the arguments of counsel and the record in this case; and the Court, as set

forth in the transcript of the hearing on the Motion, having determined that the legal and factual

bases set forth in the Motion establish just cause for the relief granted herein, and after due

deliberation and sufficient cause appearing therefor, IT IS HEREBY:

**ORDERED**, that the relief requested in the Motion is hereby granted; and it is further

**ORDERED**, that any objections to the Motion are hereby overruled; and it is further

**ORDERED**, that all holders of current and future allowed customer claims for amounts

still due to them are eligible to receive a distribution consistent with the relief granted herein.

Dated: New York, New York

January , 2019

HONORABLE STUART M. BERNSTEIN UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY JUDGE